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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

APPLICATION OF )  
STEFAN DUTZMANN ET AL ) GROUP NO.: 1616  
SERIAL NUMBER: 09/843,396 ) EXAMINER: FRANK I. CHOI  
FILED: APRIL 26, 2001 )  
TITLE: FUNGICIDE ACTIVE )  
SUBSTANCE COMBINATIONS )

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(A)**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants, by the undersigned attorney, respectfully petition the Assistant Commissioner for Patents under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(A) to extend the time for filing their response so that the Amendment filed simultaneously with this Petition will be considered timely filed.

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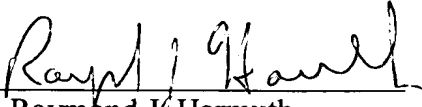
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Please charge the fee for response within the third month, \$1,020.00, to Deposit Account Number 50-2510. This paper is also authorization to charge any insufficiency of fees due with this filing to Deposit Account Number 50-2510. Triplicate copies of this paper are attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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